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| Transmittal Letter To The United States Designated/Elected  |  |   |  |  |  |  |  |
| Office (DO/EO/US) Concerning A Filing Under 35 U.S.C. 371   |  | U.S. Apply Dumber: 6 9 ded  |  |  |  |  |  |
| International Application No.: PCT/EP2004/050414  | International Filing Date: 1 April 2004 (01.04.2004)   | Priority Date Claimed: 3 April 2003 (03.04.2003) EP   |  |  |  |  |  |
| Title of Invention: PROCESS FOR THE PRODUCTION OF IMIDAZOPYRIDIN-8-ONES   |  |   |  |  |  |  |  |
| Applicant(s) for DO/EO/US: ALSTERS, Paulus Lambertus; MINK, Daniel  |  |   |  |  |  |  |  |
| Applicant hereby submits to the Unites States Designated/Elected Office (DO/EO/US) the following items and other information:  1. X This is a FIRST submission of items concerning a filing under 35 U.S.C. 371.  2 This is a SECOND or SUBSEQUENT submission of items concerning a filing under 35 U.S.C.  |  |   |  |  |  |  |  |
| 371.  3. X This is an express request to begin national examination procedures (35 USC 371(f)). The submission must include items (5), (6), (9) and (21) indicated below.  4. X A copy of the International Application as filed (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(2)):  a. X is transmitted herewith (required only if not transmitted by the International Bureau).  b has been communicated by the International Bureau. |  |   |  |  |  |  |  |
| Office (RO/US)  | , as the application was filed in  | the United States Receiving   |  |  |  |  |  |
| 5. A English translation of the International Application as filed (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(2).  6. X Amendments to the claims of the International Application under PCT Article 19 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(3))   |  |   |  |  |  |  |  |
| a are attached he   | reto (required only if not transmi   | tted by the International   |  |  |  |  |  |
| Bureau).  |  |   |  |  |  |  |  |
| <ul><li>b have been communicated by the International Bureau.</li><li>c have not been made; however, the time limit for making such amendments has NOT</li></ul>  |  |   |  |  |  |  |  |
| c have not been me expired.   | ade; nowever, the time limit for m   | aking such amendments has NOT   |  |  |  |  |  |
|   | ade and will not be made.  |   |  |  |  |  |  |
| .7 An English language translation of the amendments to the claims under PCT  |  |   |  |  |  |  |  |
| / Article 19 (35 U.S.C.   | 371 (c) (3)).  |   |  |  |  |  |  |
| 8. X An oath or declaration of the inventor(s) (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(4)). 9. A translation of the annexes to the International Preliminary Examination  |  |   |  |  |  |  |  |
| <ol> <li>A translation of the annexes to the International Preliminary Examination</li> </ol>   |  |   |  |  |  |  |  |
| Report under PCT Article 36 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(5)).  ITEMS 10 to 19 BELOW CONCERN OTHER DOCUMENT(S) OR INFORMATION INCLUDED:   |  |   |  |  |  |  |  |
| 10 An Information Discles   | ure Statement under 37 CFR 1.97 ar   | CLUDED:   |  |  |  |  |  |
| 11. An assignment document  | for recording A constant seven   | nd 1.98.  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 11. An assignment document for recording. A separate cover sheet in compliance with 37 CFR 3.28 and 3.31 is included.   |  |   |  |  |  |  |  |
| 12. X A FIRST preliminary amendment.  |  |   |  |  |  |  |  |
| 13. A SECOND or SUBSEQUENT preliminary amendment  |  |   |  |  |  |  |  |
| 14 A substitute specifica   | tion.  |   |  |  |  |  |  |
| 15. A change of power of attorney and/or address letter.  16. A computer-readable form of the sequence listing in accordance with PCT Rule 13ter2 and   |  |   |  |  |  |  |  |
| 35 USC 1821 - 1825  | rm of the sequence listing in accor  | rdance with PCT Rule 13ter2 and   |  |  |  |  |  |
| 17. A second copy of the published international application under 35 USC 154(d)(4)  18. A second copy of the English language translation of the international application under 35 USC 154(d)(4)  |  |   |  |  |  |  |  |
| <ol><li>X Other items or informat</li></ol>   | cion:  |   |  |  |  |  |  |
| WO 2004/087718 A INTERNATIONAL PUBL 9 PAGES: 1 PAGE FO TEXTUAL SPECIFICA' EMBEDDED FORMULAS, A AND B TO BE EX NOTICE INFORMING APPLICATION TO TH ELECTED OFFICES  | APPLICATION DATA SHEET; INTERNAT  1, WITH THE INTERNATIONAL SEAR  ICATION DATE: 14 OCTOBER 2004 (14.1)  PRE THE COVER SHEET, WHICH CONTAINS  TION WITH EMBEDDED FORMULAS, 2  0 SHEETS OF DRAWINGS; PRELIMINARY  AMINED; EXECUTED DECLARATION AND  THE APPLICANT OF THE COMMUNICAT  E DESIGNATED OFFICES (PCT/IB/308)  NOTIFIED OF THEIR ELECTION (PCT/ID)  SION OR TRANSMITTAL OF PRIORITY DESIGN OF TRANSMITTAL OF PRIORITY DESIGN OF TRANSMITTAL OF PRIORITY DESIGN OF TRANSMITTAL OF PRIORITY DESIGNATED OF THEIR ELECTION (PCT/ID) | CH REPORT (PCT/ISA/210); .0.2004), WHICH CONSISTS OF .THE ABSTRACT, 6 PAGES OF PAGES OF 10 CLAIMS WITH .AMENDMENT WITH APPENDIXES POWER OF ATTORNEY; FIRST ION OF THE INTERNATIONAL .; INFORMATION CONCERNING .CT/IB/332); NOTIFICATION |  |  |  |  |  |
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| The following f  | ees are submit   | ted:             |             | I CA | LCULATIONS               | PTO USE ONLY |  |  |
| 21. Basic National Fee \$ 300.00   |  |                  |             |      | 300.00                   | TIO OOD ONDI |  |  |
| 22. Examination Fee  If International Preliminary Examination Report prepared by USPTO and all claims satisfy Provisions of PCT Article 33(1)-(4)\$ 100.00 All other situations\$ 200.00   |  |                  |             | \$   | 200.00                   |              |  |  |
| 23. Search Fee (37 CFR 1.445(a)(2) has been paid on the International Application to the USPTO as an International Searching Authority \$ 100.00 International Search Report prepared and provided to the Office                                       |  |                  |             |      | 400.00                   |              |  |  |
| Additional fee for specification and drawings filed in paper over 100 sheets (excluding Sequence listing or computer program listing filed in an electronic medium).  The fee is \$ 250.00 for each additional 50 sheets of paper or fraction thereof. |  |                  |             |      |                          |              |  |  |
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| Fee for recording the enclosed assignment (37 CFR 1.21(h)). The assignment must be accompanied by an appropriate cover sheet (37 CFR 3.28, 3.31). \$40.00 per property +   |  |                  | s,          | 0.00 |                          |              |  |  |
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Attorney Docket: 26962U MAIL STOP PCT U.S. Application Number: International Application Date: September 26, 2005 (if known): Not Yet Assigned Number: PCT/EP2004/050414  $\underline{X}$  One check in the amount of  $\underline{\$ 900.00}$  to cover the above fees is enclosed. \_ Please charge my Deposit Account Number: 14-0112 in the amount of  $\S$ \_ cover the above fees. (A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.)  $\underline{X}$  The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees, which may be required, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account Number: 14-0112. \_ Fees are to be charged to a credit card WARNING: Information on this form may become public \_\_\_\_Credit Card Information should not be included on this form. Provide credit card information and authorization on PTO-2038 NOTE: Where an appropriate time limit under 37 CFR 1.494 or 1.495 has not been met, a petition to revive (37 CFR 1.137(a) or (b)) must be filed to request that the application be restored to pending status. Send All Correspondence To: Gary M. Nath NATH & ASSOCIATES PLIC 1030 15th St., N.W., 6th Fl. Washington, D.C. 20005-1503 Tel: 202-775-8383 Fax: 202-775-8396 Gary M. Nath Reg. No. 26,965 Sheldon M. McGee Reg. No. 50,454 Customer No. 34375

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## TRANSMITTAL LETTER

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Submitted herewith for filing in the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office is the following:

- (1)Application Data Sheet;
- (2) Transmittal Letter to U.S. Designated/Elected Office (DO/EO/US) Concerning Filing under 35 U.S.C. 371;
- (3) International Publication Number: WO 2004/087718 A1. International Search Report (PCT/ISA/210); International Publication Date: 14 October 2004 (14.10.2004), which consists of 9 pages:
  - 1 page for the Cover Sheet, which contains the Abstract,
  - 6 pages of Textual Specification with embedded formulas,
  - 2 pages of 10 Claims with embedded formulas,
  - 0 sheets of Drawings;
- Preliminary Amendment with Appendixes A and B to be Examined;
- (5) Executed Declaration and Power of Attorney;
- (6) First Notice Informing the Applicant of the Communication of the International Application To The Designated Offices (PCT/IB/308);
- (7) Information Concerning Elected Offices Notified of Their Election (PCT/IB/332);
- (8) Notification Concerning Submission or Transmittal of Priority Document (PCT/IB/304);
- (9) PCT Request (PCT/RO/101);
- (10)Check No.: **Z3679** in the Amount of \$ 900.00 for Basic Filing Fee, which includes the Search and Examination Fees, as a Large Entity. Check No.:
- (11) Postcard for Early Notification of the Serial Number Request.

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